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Subject: Submittal of the Merced County Association of Governments Administrative Modification #9 to the 2009 FTIP

Dear Joanne,

Merced County Association of Governments (MCAG) has added Administrative Modification #9 to the 2009 FTIP using Expedited Project Selection Procedures (EPSP) and Executive Director approval. The CTIPS database has been modified accordingly.

Administrative Modification #9 moves \$86,000 in the Lump Sum for Federal Safe Routes to Schools (SRTS) from Construction to PE in FY 10/11.

This programming change is consistent with Caltrans' procedures for federal statewide transportation program (FSTIP/FTIP) modifications, administrative amendment (type 1) and does not require an air quality conformity analysis or determination. The change does not adversely affect the timely implementation of Transportation Control Measures (TCMS). These projects are exempt, non-regionally significant projects.

The proposed modification is consistent with the Merced County 2007 Regional Transportation Plan, adopted May 17, 2007 and amended January 15, 2009.

As amended, the FTIP is financially constrained. The financial constraint documentation will be updated to reflect changes made by this administrative modification in the next formal amendment.

If you have any questions regarding this document, please contact Matt Fell of my staff at (209) 723-3153 ext. 320 or by e-mail at "matt.fell@mcagov.org".

Sincerely,

Jesse Brown
Executive Director
Merced County Association of Governments

Enclosure: CTIPS programming page – 205-0000-0135

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Merced County Association of Governments - Federal Transportation Improvement Program
(Dollars in Whole)
Local Highway System

DIST: 10	COUNTY: Merced County	TITLE (DESCRIPTION):	MPO Aprv: 03/25/2009
ROUTE: VAR	PM:	Caltrans - Lump Sum for Federal Safe Routes to Schools, Non capacity increasing projects	State Aprv: 03/25/2009
PPNO: 0000	KP:	consistent with 40CFR part 93.126-128, exempt tables 2 & 3.)	Federal Aprv: 03/25/2009
EA: 0000	MPO ID: FED SRTS		
CTIPS ID: 205-0000-0135			
IMPLEMENTING AGENCY: Various Agencies	PRJ MGR:	EPA TABLE II or III EXEMPT CATEGORY:	
	PHONE:	Safety Improvement Program.	

PROJECT VERSION HISTORY (Printed Version is Shaded)

Version	Status	Official Date	Updated By	Change Reason	Amend No.	Prog Con	(Dollars in Whole)			PE		
							Prog RW					
4	Official	03/25/2009	TLEWIS	Amendment - Cost/Scope/Sch. Change	9	1,493,000				86,000		
3	Official	02/26/2009	TLEWIS	Amendment - Cost/Scope/Sch. Change	3	1,579,000						
2	Official	11/17/2008	TLEWIS	Adoption - Carry Over		445,000						
1	Official	12/10/2007	TLEWIS	Amendment - New Project	6	425,000				20,000		
• Other Fed -				PRIOR	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	BEYOND	TOTAL
• Fund Source 1 of 1				PE			86,000					86,000
• Fund Type: Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Program				RW								
• Funding Agency: Various Agencies				CON		445,000	785,000	263,000				1,493,000
				TOTAL		445,000	871,000	263,000				1,579,000

Comments:

***** Version 4 - 03/25/2009 *****Administrative Amendment 9 moving 86,000 of construction funds to PE per the City of Livingston request.

***** Version 3 - 01/16/2009 *****New federal SRTS grant awards announced: 1) City of Livingston in FY10/11 for \$871,000; 2) City of Los Banos for FY11/12 for \$262,350. 100% funded, no local match required.

***** Version 2 - 01/14/2009 *****Carrying forward 2006 into 2008 for 2009 Interim FTIP.

***** Version 1 - 09/13/2007 ***** Per June 7, 2007 Caltrans statewide SRTS/SR2S award listing, The City of Atwater awarded \$445,000 of SRTS funds in FY06/07. No match required. Statewide coordinator has approved programming these funds in FY07/08.